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COMMENT AND REPLY COMMENT DATES SET FOR NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING REGARDING RECORDKEEPING RULES ON CABLE OPERATOR INTERESTS IN VIDEO PROGRAMMING

MB Docket Nos. 20-35, 17-105

Comment Date: May 4, 2020 Reply Comment Date: May 18, 2020

On March 2, 2020, the Federal Communications Commission released a *Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM)* seeking comment on whether to eliminate or modify its rules that require cable operators to maintain records in their online public inspection files regarding their interests in video programming services, as well as their carriage of these services on cable systems they own. The *NPRM* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 45 days, respectively, after publication of the *NPRM* in the Federal Register.

The Media Bureau announces that the *NPRM* was published in the Federal Register on April 2, 2020.² Accordingly, comments must be submitted by May 4, 2020; reply comments must be submitted by May 18, 2020. Commenters must follow the filing instructions set forth in the *NPRM*.³

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¹ Amendment of Commission Rule Requiring Records of Cable Operator Interests in Video Programming, MB Docket No. 20-35, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 20-19 (rel. Mar. 2, 2020) (NPRM). The NPRM is available on the Commission's website. See https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-20-19A1.pdf.

 $^{^2 \}textit{See } \underline{\text{https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2020/04/02/2020-06631/records-of-cable-operator-interests-invideo-programming-modernization-of-media-regulation.}$

³ NPRM at 6-7. Commenting parties may file comments in response to this Notice in MB Docket No. 20-35 only and are not required to file duplicate copies in the additional docket listed above.